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positions are provided. The compositions preferably comprise antibiotic(s) as active ingredient, more preferably amoxicillin either  
alone or in combination with other antibiotic(s). The controlled release compositions comprise at least one active ingredient, and a  
polymer system comprising of at least two polymers which retard the release of the active ingredient in the stomach while providing  
rapid release of the said active ingredient in the alkaline contents of small intestine, optionally with other pharmaceutically accept-  
able excipients. The compositions provide therapeutically effective levels of the active ingredient for extended periods of time, and  
possess bioadhesive properties.

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